The Graham Guardian.

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Territory Library

GOING OUT of business

Prices Cut all to Pieces

400 Pr of Shoes will go less 20 per cent.
100 Pr of Shoes Low cut and canvas slippers from 30 to 50 %
$400 worth of Lion Brand hats less 25 and 50 %
White silk place goods cut from 75c to 40c per yard. Commo suiting cut from 50c to 25c.
Lawns and other varieties of dress goods cut from 40 to 17 1-2c per yard.
Chambries going at 10c. All gingham and calicoes cut to 6c and 8c per yard.
Salt Lake hosiery at cost.
Strauss Overalls going at 80c.
Sweaters direct from Salt Lake City $1 50 cut to $1.10.
Silk and woolen shawls sold at $2.50, now $1.75.
Gentlemen's underwear, shirts, sox, belts, pocket knives, razors, notions of all kinds, prices cut pieces.
L. D. S Union suits 10 to 20 % off.
Prices on pickles are ruined.

I want to close my entire stock out within the next 30 days as would like to leave on the 1st of October.

J. L. Wilkins

THATCHER, ARIZONA.

WASHOUTS ON THE VALLEY ROAD

Large Stretch of Track Taken Out by the Floods of Tuesday Morning Last

The Gila valley railroad is having its share of troubles these days. Three times during the past two weeks its track has been washed out by the heavy rains in the vicinity of Pima, and trains have been greatly delayed in consequence.

On Tuesday morning last it was announced that a long stretch of track had been washed out west of Pima, and that it would be many days before the break could be prepared. Accordingly Globe was for the time being cut off from all communication with the outer world.

On Tuesday night a stretch of track was washed out twenty miles east of Safford, beyond San Jose, thus isolating this city from the world completely. There had been some talk of a schuttle train between Pima and Bowie, but this latest wash out prevented all further traffic.

The railroad officers seemingly made every effort to repair the damage. A large force of men was put to work at both washouts but a period of great difficulty ensued for this valley and Globe. Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday passed and no train arrived. Passengers by the hundred were gathered at Bowie, and mail was piled up there by the carload, all waiting to come toward Globe. A quartette of drummers were detained in this city and they kept the air in a blue condition, even though they all agreed that the hotel accommodations were much better here than at the mining towns.

RICH STRIKE IN ARIGHISE

Six Foot Vein of Copper and Other Metals Uncovered at a Depth of Five Hundred and Thirty Feet

During the past week a six foot vein of copper, gold and silver ore was encountered in the Arighise mine at a depth of 530 feet. Considerable cross-cutting is being done to determine the extent of the vein, and in the meantime samples of the ore have been sent out for assay. The result is being awaited with considerable interest, as it is believed the ore is rich enough to warrant heavy development work and large shipments. Should the strike turn out to be commercially profitable, it will mean much to Safford, as the property is located only eleven miles north, and this town would become the headquarters for a large mining population.

Manager J. E. Carpenter reports that complete ventilating apparatus is being installed, which is a good and necessary improvement.

SCHOOLS WILL OPEN MONDAY

All is in Readiness for the Coming School Year, With a Full Complement of Capable Teachers

The Safford schools will open next Monday, and all arrangements have been made for a very successful school year. The full quota of teachers has been secured, after some difficulty owing to resignations and other troubles. The outlook is good for a large attendance during the coming winter.

The teachers engaged are as follows: Principal, C. A. Yeomans; primary grade, Miss Kate Hunter; second and third grades, Miss Ethel Matson; fourth and fifth grades, Miss Aubrey Boone; sixth, seventh, eighth and ninth grades, Miss Mary K. Miller.

The teachers in the Pima schools for the coming year are: Rollin P. Jones, principal; E. M. Plumb of Eden, Hyrum Smith of Matthewsville, and Miss Gladys Wright of Mesa City.

The teachers in the Thatcher schools this year: Principal, J. N. Heywood; James A. Duke, Mrs. W. R. Rhoades, Mrs. Maud B. Callison and Miss Viola Freeland. Another young lady has also been engaged but she has not yet arrived from the east.

The teachers in the Layton schools this year are: Prof. W. R. Rhoades, principal, and Mrs. Nellie Woods.

Miss Della Bradshaw will teach at Graham, Miss Maud Wellborn at Matthewsville, and Miss Gladys Duke at Central.

Miss Mabel Westerman will teach the Lone Star school.

FIREMEN'S DANCE SEPT. 13TH

All Arrangements Made for a Most Enjoyable Time on That Date---Fire Bell Has Been Ordered

Owing to the inability of the firemen to secure suitable music, they have changed the date of their ball from the 6th to the 13th of September.

A meeting of the Safford firemen was held last Tuesday evening at the office of Attorney Wiley Jones, to make arrangements for the coming dance. The necessary committees to take charge of the affair were appointed as follows:

Ticket window—L. Kamstra.

Doorkeepers—Charles Krueger and James Francis.

Floor managers—John J. Birdno, Jesse Foster and E. Madsen.

Reception committee—E. T. Hyde, B. F. Thum and George P. Jacobson.

At this meeting it was decided to order the fire bell at once, and accordingly a committee was authorized to have one shipped here immediately from an eastern house. The one selected is a 30-inch bell, to cost $25.00. The committee in charge of this matter consists of Charles Krueger, L. Kamstra and B. F. Thum.

There is no money in sight to pay for the bell as yet, but the firemen are determined to have one and will go ahead and arrange for entertainments until sufficient cash is secured. It is believed that the business men generally will purchase tickets for the coming dance and that a considerable sum will be secured in this way. An effort will be made to provide an enjoyable evening for all who attend.

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SAFFORD ARIZONA.

J. N. PORTER, Prest. J. N. ROBINSON, Vice-Prest. H E DUNLAP, Cashier

LOCAL NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Joseph Robinson of Safford is very ill with appendicitis.

Paul Brown and son left Saturday on a business trip to Chicago.

There is a great demand for houses in Safford and none are to be had. A few cottages would be a paying investment.

A large stack of hay was struck by lightning near Central and was destroyed by the fire which ensued, last Saturday.

A dance will be given in Thatcher hall on Friday evening, Sept. 6th, which will be made a very enjoyable affair.

At the Methodist church next Sunday morning the preaching service will be resumed. The morning subject will be "The Rechabites Temptation," an exposition of the phrase "Lead us not into temptation" found in the Lord's prayer. In the evening will tell the stories of Esther, Elijah and Daniel—being the closing one with the Old Testament. Services begin promptly at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Please note the change in the evening hour.

Mrs. John Daley of Thatcher is suffering from a painful case of blood poisoning of the hand, as a result of a slight scratch.

Attorney Wiley Jones leaves next Monday for Jamestown and other eastern points, in the interest of the Order of Redmen. He expects to return Sept. 18th.

A bevy of Safford's belles had a most enjoyable outing at Cluff's ranch Tuesday. The party comprised Misses Lottie Colton, Beulah Olney, Margaret and Mabel Weber, Emma Freeman, May Dowdle and Lillie Morrison.

J. W. Dempsey, the well known farmer, was in town Tuesday and reports that very little hay was damaged by the recent storms as most of the fourth crop had been cut and safely disposed of before the storm. The rain will benefit pasturage considerably.

Uncle Jim Robinson had his beard cut off the other day, and now his friends pass him on the street without recognition, while they wonder what distinguished stranger had arrived in town. Mr. Robinson has worn a beard continuously for twenty-three years.

Paying Industry Now Overlooked

A paying industry now overlooked in this valley is poultry raising. A gentleman residing in this valley recently killed several fine, large chickens from his flock, dressed them in nice style, and shipped them in ice to a neighboring mining town. The price he received per pound made each chicken bring a total of $1.40, and the dealer there at once requested him to supply a large quantity each week, showing that there is no limit to the market. Think of it! Even though lucerne is $11 per ton, eight fat hens will bring more money than a ton of lucerne. Tons of chickens and eggs are shipped to this region every year from the east, whereas the entire southern part of Arizona could be supplied from this valley.

This 80-acre tract has been withdrawn from the market by the owner.

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This 52-acre tract has been sold to J. H. Hatch of Layton for $5200.

All sizes of ranches, prices and location to suit buyers' pocket book.

"Bishop, the Land Man."

MRS. J. L. PEPPER PASSES AWAY

Highly Esteemed Resident of Safford is Laid to Rest After an Illness of Several Months

After an illness lasting several months, Mrs. Ora Boggs Pepper of Globe died at the residence of her mother, Mrs. James Boggs, in this city, Monday morning last at 5 o'clock. The deceased was born in the town of Layton, Utah, but had lived in Safford the greater portion of her life She was aged nineteen years, and was married to J. L. Pepper of Globe last December. In February she was taken ill with female troubles and has been confined to her bed most of the time since then. The affliction turned to quick consumption, and while her relatives and friends hoped against hope that she would recover, her death was not unexpected. She came here from Globe some time ago to obtain medical treatment and nursing and her mother and other relatives cared for her with unselfish and never-ending devotion, but without avail.

The deceased was a lady of many good qualities and was highly esteemed by all who knew her.

The funeral service was held at the Layton ward hall Tuesday afternoon, Bishop Welker presiding. Beautiful music was furnished by the ward choir. The speakers were Bishop Welker and Elder John Morris, both of whom had known the deceased for many years. They spoke in high terms of her character and integrity, as well as uttering many consoling words to the bereaved relatives. Numerous floral tributes were presented.

FOR SALE—Furniture of bed room, dining room and kitchen, including No. 6 cooking stove. Will sell separately or in lot at a great bargain. Enquire at the GUARDIAN office.

The washout below Pima is at the Matthewsville wash, and at that point a fifty-foot bridge and about seventy-five yards of track were taken out. There are also washouts at other points along the track farther west. A large force of men is engaged in repairing the damage.

Wednesday evening it was announced that the track was clear to Bowie, and at six o'clock Superintendent Mallard arrived at Safford with an engine and box car, on his way from Matthewsville to Bowie in quest of oil. The car took on a few passengers at Safford, and on request of Wm. Kirtland, Mr. Mallard promised to bring passengers on from Bowie on the return journey. Accordingly the train left Bowie at 10:30 p. m. Wednesday evening, arriving here at 1 a. m. yesterday morning with about thirty passengers, ALL STANDING UP IN THE BOX CAR. Some of them had been at Bowie three or four days.

Twenty or more passengers remained at Bowie who are trying to reach Globe. At Bowie every hotel and private house and barn and porch are being used.

At 11 o'clock yesterday morning a freight train arrived at Safford from the west, and proceeded on to Globe, promising to return last night. Postmistress Mashbir swore in her son, Sidney, as a mail clerk, and he left on the freight with the outbound mail, expecting to return last night with the long delayed mail from Bowie.

In the meantime the business men here are wondering why some steps are not being taken to see that mail is brought in regularly, as might easily be done, even if a stage were used a portion of the distance. It is probable that a strong complaint will be registered at Washington against the outrageous delays heaped upon this valley.

Heavy Suit Filed During the Week

Attorney Wiley Jones has filed papers in a suit brought by Del M. Potter of Clifton against the Chase Creek Mining Company for 18,000 shares of stock in that company. Mr. Potter alleges that he transferred to the company 24 valuable mining claims, for which he was to receive the number of shares stated, but that the company has failed to keep its agreement.

Archie Sanders and family, former residents of Safford, are here on a few days' visit. Mr. Sanders is now in business in Globe.

Many Wells in Cienega District

Mr. J. G. Morris, the well known well borer of Thatcher, was in Safford Tuesday and reports many wells being dug in the artesian belt southeast of Safford. He has recently driven one for J. D. Hartzler which goes down 720 feet and yields a stream of fine water totaling about 100 galloes a minute. Huston Roach has one driven which goes down 670 and yields a large stream. Mrs. Roby is having a well driven at the present time. The cost of many of these wells is from one to three hundred dollars, exclusive of the casing. Four inch casing is generally used which costs about 35 cents per foot. Mr. Young, who has a farm in the artesian district, has a well which yields six hundred gallons per minute and is capable of watering seventy or eighty acres. Mrs. Sisson has recently filed on a large tract of land in this section.

P. P Greer is in the city waiting for the next train to Globe, returning from Los Angeles.

Forest Supervisor Swift telegraphed to Washinton a strong protest against the poor mail service here, yesterday.

Ray Ainsworth and Elijah Claydon have established a carriage painting shop in the Birdno Bros. building. They are experts in this line.

The arrangements are nearly completed for the great Mexican celebration at Solomonville. A list of the prizes is crowded over to next issue.

While shoeing an unruly horse on Friday last at Thorstensen's shop, Lars Chlarson met with an accident that will put him out of commission for several days. The animal stamped on one of Mr. Chlarson's feet and badly mashed several bones.

Mr. and Mrs. "Tip" Henderson returned from the east yesterday.

The Safford Literary Society will meet at the residence of the Misses Morris this evening.

I am still paying the highest cash price for eggs and chickens.
S. R. McALEXANDER. 27-tf

J. L. Wilkins' great sale is in full blast, and prices have been cut all to pieces. 1t

Tom Trevillian is waiting at the Hotel de Jones for the next train to Globe.

John F. Weber has purchased from Dr. Platt one of the finest soda fountains that ever came into this valley.

Mr. C. W. Crosby, who recently arrived here with his brother, Attorney G. H. Crosby, expresses great confidence in the future of this valley, which he states is one of the finest in the west. Mr. Crosby is a former resident of Eager, Apache county, and as that is at a much higher altitude than Safford, the heat is more marked here. However, it is likely that Mr. Crosby may decide to become a permanent resident of this valley.

Robert Nash of Safford had 50 acres of cut alfalfa damaged by the recent rains.

Mr. E. T. Ijams is in Safford this week from Tombstone to visit with his family prior to the departure of his son Clyde for Roswell, N. M.

Mrs. W. R. Reed reached home from St. David Monday after an extended visit with relatives there. She was accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Sarah Bullock, of Cedar City, Utah, who has also been visiting in St. David. The party are all in good health, and Mr. Reed is overjoyed to meet his new little daughter, who arrived in the world during his wife's stay in St. David.

W. H. Clifford reached home from Douglas Tuesday, whither he went to take the horses recently purchased here for the fire department of that town. He reports that the rains have been very heavy down in that region and that the grass is high enough to cut for hay. He states that great satisfaction was expressed by the citizens of Douglas over the excellence of the horses bought here.

A BUSINESS LUXURY

A CHECKING-ACCOUNT is a business necessity; and he who tries to get along without one is at great disadvantage.

It is not required that a person should have a large bulk of business in order to open an account.

Professional men farmers, and even many women, are running checking-accounts. If you have never done business in this way, and are not familiar with the plan, come to us and we will get you started.

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Land Proofs	10.00
Notice of Forfeiture	15.00
Contest Notice	15.00
All other legal advertising, per inch, each insertion	1.00

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THE TRIUMPH TUNNEL FAKE

A writer in the Mining Investor, an influential journal published at Colorado Springs, Colorado, Aug. 12th, takes extended notice of THE GUARDIAN's recent exposure of the Thomas McEnery Triumph Tunnel Site fraud. The writer speaks in highly complimentary terms of our puncturing of that bubble, and shows wherein McEnery's claims are proven to be absurd and unfounded to a ridiculous degree. We reproduce the Mining Investor's article entire, because it indicates the widespread interest felt in Arizon's mines and the danger that menaces this great industry from just such fraudulent companies as the Triumph Tunnel Site. Fake mining schemes are the bane of legitimate mining, and it is the duty of all interested to spread far and wide the information that the McEnery and other such unfounded and fraudulent companies are dangerous and should be avoided:

"THE GRAHAM GUARDIAN of Safford, Graham county, Arizona, should be added to the honor roll of publications in mining fields which understand their duty to their readers and to legitimate mining. In an issue of that paper published a number of weeks ago, but which has only recently been brought to our attention, there is a most commendable exposure of the misstatements in a prospectus issued by the Triumph Tunnel Site company of which Thomas McEnery is president. We commend particularly the method adopted by the GRAHAM GUARDIAN. It is an easy matter to criticise in general terms and to cast discredit on a mining proposition by vague insinuations and unsupported charges An infant is able to knock over a block house before he is capable of putting one block on another. There is absolutely no credit in indiscriminate "knocking" and in wild beating in the air which we constantly see indulged in by those who believe it is a popular thing to do. To come down to facts and specifications and proofs is a very different matter, and is the sort of work that counts. THE GRAHAM GUARDIAN in the article referred to quotes extensively from the prospectus of the Triumph Tunnel Site company, and then proceeds to point out exactly wherein the statements in the prospectus misrepresent the actual situation.

"It is pointed out that the statement in the company's prospectus that the tunnel will cut the great 'blind veins' referred to, is simply a rank guess, as prospectors who have searched the mountain for ore declare that no ledge appears in the direction that the tunnel is running nearer than about five miles from the present end of the tunnel. The statement that their copper prospects are second to none in Arizona, and that they have copper in all forms is made of whole cloth. Nothing but a few small stringers have been cut in the tunnel. Their self-fluxing ores have yet to be found. The prospectus says the hundred or more veins cut by this tunnel vary in width from 5 to 300 feet. As a matter of fact the company has driven two tunnels neither of which is now in three hundred feet; one lies directly above the other. Neither shows anything but a few stringers. The claim of being able to develop thousands of horse-power from water is fully as untruthful as the balance. There is but one creek from which water can be taken to the Mammoth tunnel, Ash creek, and if all its waters were utilized probably would not generate over two per cent of the claim made. Another thing, this this water was appropriated for irrigation purposes and used for farming about twenty-five years ago, and has been so used continuously ever since.

"Continuing its case against the company the Graham Guardian says that Thomas McEnery's statement that the properties of the Mammoth Tunnel Site company are the richest mines that he had ever seen are in keeping with that man's record ever since he struck the county. The company has no mines at all They have made a vast number of locations and are driving two tunnels into a granite mountain with no earthly prospects of making a mine. The mines he gives as "surrounding" the Mammoth group nearly all exist but not one of them is nearer than twenty miles of the Mammoth tunnel. Only three have been dividend payers, United Verde, five hundred miles away, La Cananea, three hundred miles away, Tombstone more than one hundred miles away. Most of the others are prospects, nearly all good ones, but not yet proven. The statement that within a very few months the company will be in a position to announce the payment of regular dividends is made with no other purpose than to deceive strangers into investing. There is no prospect of the outfit ever paying dividends.

"We would like to quote from the prospectus of the company wich contains numerous amusing paragraphs. Limit of space prevent our doing so at this time One paragraph however is too good to omit. It is as follows:

" 'Our capitalization of fifty million is small when considering the fact that we own forty-eight hundred acres of mineral land, and will have working upward of fifty big gold and copper mines. The average mine owns only twenty acres, and is usually capitalized at from two to five millions. If we had split up our proberty on this plan we could have had two hundred and forty mines with a total capitalization of four hundred and eighty millions to one billion two hundred million. Had we been a stock jobbing concern we would have carried on that plan, but know we are a conservative institution incorporated for the purpose of mining copper and gold for the benefit of stockholders.'

"If THE GRAHAM GUARDIAN had stopped to think how extremely considerate this 'conservative institution' was in not incorporating with a capitalization of $1,200,000,000, doubtless it would never have been so unkind as to point out that the company's 'fifty big gold and copper mines' consist of two tunnels in a granite mountain.

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THE TRANS-MISSISSIPPI CONGRESS

The eighteenth annual session of the Trans-Mississippi Commercial Congress will meet in the new State of Oklahoma, at Muskogee, November 19, 20, 21 and 22.

The governor of each state and territory may appoint ten delegates and not more than twenty.

The mayor of each city one delegate.

Each county may appoint one delegate.

Each business organization one delegate.

Governors of states and territories, members of congress of the United States, and former presidents of the Trans-Mississippi Commercial Congress are ex-officio members with all the privileges of delegates except voting.

The railroads have made a low rate for the Congress

Many questions of vital importance to the West have already been listed for consideration at this Congress, and great benefit to the trans Mississippi section will doubtless accrue from this meeting of the leading citizens of Western America.

Hon. Andrew Kimball of Thatcher, Arizona, has been appointed a member of the executive committee of the Congress for the ensuing two years, and he will be pleased to furnish any information concerning the session to any interested parties.

FREE SCHOLARHIPS.

THE GUARDIAN is making a splendid offer to those who desire to attend the L. D. S. Academy at Thatcher during the coming winter. We will give a year's tuition to the Academy free to any one sending us ten paid up yearly subscriptions We will give six months' tuition free to any one sending us six paid up yearly subscriptions. Two half yearly subscriptions will count the same as one yearly subscription.

Young ladies and gentlemen in this and surrounding counties can thus work a day or two among their friends and earn their year's tuition If they only obtain six subscriptions, that will pay their tuition for the first half year. During the Christmas holidays they can doubtless go out and obtain the other four. It will be a very easy way to earn a year's tuition.

Alfalfa Seed.

For sale, for delivery about Sept 1st. J. M. Foster.

Owing to the many items in the list of disbursements, the Fourth of July Celebration Committee decided to forego the publication of the expense account. Checks for all amounts were issued to J. C. Robinson, treasurer, however, and any one interested may examine the appropriation list upon application to the committee.

If you want to reach the people, put your advertisement in THE GUARDIAN. That is the only way you can do so. If you advertise for charity, you may place your money where you think it is needed the most.

Veterans Will Meet at Dallas

Gen. W. L. Cabell, commanding the Trans-Mississippi Department, United Confederate Veterans, has issued the following:

Headquarters Trans - Mississippi Department, United Confederate Veterans, Dallas, Texas, August 15, 1907.—General Order No. 109: A number of our old comrades living in different states of the Trans-Mississippi department, have reported to me that they were unable to attend the great reunion at Richmond, and the unveiling of the monument of Mr. Jefferson Davis on June 3, 1907, and that they were anxious to meet their old comrades once more. Therefore I have requested the managers of the great state fair and exposition of Texas to designate a day to be called Confederate day, and they have kindly given Tuesday, October 22, 1907.

Comrades of the Trans-Mississippi department, although the camp fires are burning brightly now, they will continue to do so but a few years longer. Our old comrades, the "unpaid soldiers of immortal principles," are growing older and fewer each year. We shall therefore meet as often as possible to renew old ties and old friendships formed during the rattle of musketry and the thunder of cannon, to enjoy the meeting of heroes of a hundred battles, before they are called to cross the river to the great beyond.

I therefore announce Tuesday, October 22, 1907, at Dallas, the day designated by the state fair managers as Confederate day, when our comrades from every state and territory in the Trans-Mississippi department can attend and unite in a great love feast and recall the heroic deeds of the brave men who lie buried in their old gray blankets, as well as the loving kindness, patience and patriotism of our noble mothers, wives and sisters.

Major General K. M. Van Zandt, commanding the division of Texas is appointed general marshal for that day.

He will call to his assistance the division, brigade and camp commanders in every state and territory throughout the Trans-Mississippi department.

Then, my old comrades, come, and let us keep in touch with each other the few years left us here.

By order of W. L. CABELL,
Lieut. Gen. U. C. V.,
Trans-Miss. Dept.

Official:
MILTON PARK,
Adjt. Gen. and Chief of Staff.

ECZEMA

For the good of those suffering with eczema or other such trouble, I wish to say, my wife had something of that kind and after using the doctor's remedies for some time concluded to try Chamberlain's Salve, and it proved to be better than anything she had tried. For sale by Safford Drug Co.

High Price for Farming Land

I. E. Solomon has disposed of his farm just north of town to W. A. Gillespie, who desired to round out his fine ranch of nearly five hundred acres. Mr. Solomon, who has owned at different times practically all of the land in this vicinity, states that the price received for this land, $100 per acre, was the highest he has ever obtained. A few years ago he sold adjoining land to Mr. Gillespie for $22.50 per acre and the bulk of his sales have been below $60 per acre. These figures illustrate the big advance which has taken place in land values during recent years. Mr. Solomon now has but two farms left. He will sell one of them, but the other he intends to keep in order to hold his membership in the farmers' union.—Solomonville Bulletin.

Expenses of the Joint Election

Lew Collins, assistant secretary of the territory, has been requested by the federal government to compile a list of the expenses attending the voting on the joint statehood proposition one year ago. The expense thus far compiled shows that $18,243 were expended for this election and the estimated cost in four counties not yet having reported will bring the sum total for the territory up to $23,243.

For Sale

Two blocks, Nos. 22 and 23, known as the old Tuttle property, east of the property occupied by Mr. Ellis, Safford. Price $700. Apply to THOS. M. HUGHES, care of the Shannon Copper Co., Clifton, Arizona. 23-3m

A NICE HOME FOR SALE

FOR SALE—A nice home, 20 acres of land, one share San Jose water stock, one and a half miles east of Solomonville. Twelve acres of alfalfa, orchard of 125 fine fruit trees, new frame box house of three rooms, good well. Along main San Jose canal. Price only $2000, half cash, balance on long time at 8 per cent interest. See Bishop the Land Man, at Solomonville. 24-tf

"REGULAR AS THE SUN"

is an expression as old as the race. No doubt the rising and setting sun is the most regular performance in the universe, unless it is the action of the liver and bowels when regulated with Dr. King's New Life Pills. Guaranteed by all druggists. 25 cents.

Notice to Teachers

The regular quarterly teachers' examination will be held at the court house in Solomonville, Arizona, on the 3rd and 4th of September, 1907. Morning sessions will commence at 8:30 a. m.

A. R. LYNCH,
County School Supt.

THE LIMIT OF LIFE

The most eminent medical scientists are unanimous in the conclusion that the generally accepted limitation of human life is many years below the attainment possible with the advance knowledge of which the race is now possessed. The critical period, that determines its duration, seems to be between 50 and 60; the proper care of the body during this decade cannot be too strongly urged; carelessness then being fatal to longevity. Nature's best helper after 50 is Electric Bitters, the scientific tonic medicine that revitalizes every organ of the body Guaranteed by all druggists. 50 cents.

Gas Engines

For pumping, wood sawing, hay baling, etc., I can save you 20 per cent on a pumping outfit. Agent for Gilson Manufacturing Co. CHAS. THOMPSON, Box 55, Safford, Arizona. 25-tf

CHAMBERLAIN'S COLIC CHOLERA AND DIARRHOEA REMEDY

"Three years ago we had three doctors with our little boy and everything that they could do seemed in vain. At last when all hope seemed to be gone we began using Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and in a few hours he began to improve. To day he is as healthy a child as parents could wish for."—Mrs. B. I. Jhonston, Linton, Mass. For sale by Safford Drug Co.

For Sale

Four blocks of land, containing 20 acres, situated in Safford. 8 room house, porches, corral, orchard, granary and other outbuildings. 1 share Montezuma water stock. $5000, easy terms. Inquire at this office. 26-1m

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Documents Filed for Record

Following is a list of the documents filed for record at the county seat and compiled by Abstractor Fred Dysart:

Don C McBride of Pima files bond as road-overseer.

M H Kane to Octaviano, bill of sale, $100; house on A C Co lot B in east Clifton.

Gila Valley Bank & Trust Co to Elias Williams, release of mtg. $160.

Gila Valley Bank & Trust Co to I S Vellar, release of mtg. $250.

Paul R Becker to Chesterfield & Whittredge, lease, $180 per year; lot 75x80 ft at New Town, Morenci.

Sam E Roberts to T O'Bryan, chattel mtg. $386.75; stock, machinery, etc. of Journal Printing Co, Safford.

Geo Todd, by admx. to J. B. Quinn and wife, release of mtg. $310.25; on 10 acres in se ¼ sec 17, and 8 acres in ne ¼ sec 20, tp 7 s, r 26 east.

C G Miller is appointed deputy sheriff.

A A Anderson, sheriff, to S J Moyer, deed, $125; se ¼ sec 21, tp 9 s, r 23 e, (Elkhurst land.)

Mariano Carrion and wife to W E Glasscock, deed, $125; lots 4 and 6, blk 11, Safford.

J S Russell files declaration of homestead upon ne ¼ sec 18, tp 7 s, r 26 east, value $1000.

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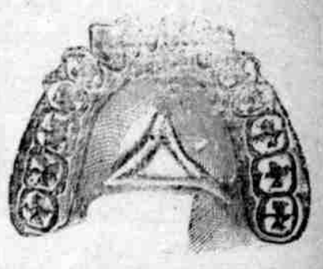

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T. S. BUNCH, Secretary

First publication August 9.

Notice to Creditors

In the Probate court of Graham county, Arizona territory. In the matter of the estate of Inez Ellsworth, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, Ernest Ellsworth, administrator of the estate of Inez Ellsworth, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against, said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to said administrator at his residence in the Lone Star community about three miles southeast of the town of Safford, Graham county, Arizona, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate in said county and territory.

Dated August 7, 1907.

ERNEST ELLSWORTH,
24-4t Administrator.

Summons

In the district court of the Fifth Judicial District of the territory of Arizona, in and for the county of Graham.

The territory of Arizona, at the relation and to the use of Ben R Clark, treasurer and ex-officio tax collector in and for the county of Graham, in the territory of Arizona, plaintiff.

vs

Estate and heirs of H H Nutting, and, Bert Nutting, Walter Nutting, Ella Nutting and Minnie Nutting, defendants.

Action brought in the district court of the fifth judicial district of the territory of Arizona, in and for the county of Graham.

The territory of Arizona, sends greeting to the estate and heirs of H H Nutting, and, Bert Nutting, Walter Nutting, Ella Nutting and Minnie Nutting, defendants above named.

You, and each of you, are hereby summoned and required to appear in an action brought against you by the above named plaintiff and answer the complaint filed with the clerk of the above entitled court at Solomonville, in the county of Graham, territory of Arizona, within twenty (20) days (exclusive of the day of service) after the service upon you of this summons, if served in this county, in all other cases within thirty days.

You are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer the complaint as required by law judgment by default will be taken against you.

Given under my hand and the seal of the district court affixed hereto at Solomonville this 24th day of July, 1907.

[SEAL] W. R. CHAMBERS, Clerk.
By THEO SHIRLEY, Deputy Clerk.

First publication Aug 2nd

Notice of Bond Sale

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received up to 10 o'clock a. m., on the 19th day of August, 1907, at the office of the Board of Supervisors of Graham County, Arizona, for the purchase of school district bonds of school district number twelve, Central.

Said bonds to run for twenty years and bear interest at 7 per cent per annum, interest payable annually, both principal and interest payable in U. S. gold coin at the office of the treasurer of Graham county, Arizona, the bonds to be fourteen in number of the denomination of Two Hundred Dollars each and to be sold at not less than par value. Proposals must be addressed, "Chairman Board of Supervisors, Solomonville, Graham County, Arizona," and endorsed, "Proposals for Purchase of School Bonds."

One-half of said bonds are redeemable at the expiration of five years and the other half at expiration of ten years at the option of the board of trustees of said district. The board reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Proposals must be accompanied by certified check for $100.00 to be returned on sale of said bonds.

GEORGE A. OLNEY,
Chairman Board of supervisors, Graham county, Arizona.

Attest: A. G. MCALISTER,
22-3t Clerk of said board.

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gives woman some of her most miserable and wretched hours. Along with the backache, generally come headache, waist pain, falling feelings, irritability, nervousness and the blues. Have you these periodical troubles? If so, you may know that they are due to disease of some of the most important organs of your body, organs that should get help or, in time, through weakness, will wreck your health and life. Help them to health with

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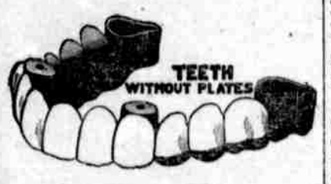

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Stockholders' Meeting

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the stockholders of the Graham County Mining & Smelting Company will be held at the residence of J. G. Allred in Thatcher, Graham County, Arizona, on Monday, Sept. 2, at 10 o'clock a.m.

H. N. CHLARSON, President

ACADEMY OPENS FOR WINTER.

Begins its Educational Labors for the Ensuing Year Under Favorable Auspices Last Monday.

The L. D. S. Academy at Thatcher opened its doors for the ensuing school year last Monday. Everything had been done to prepare for the winter's educational work. A number of pupils from various points in the St. Joseph Stake were on hand, and examination and enrollment was at once begun.

Principal J. C. Peterson of the Academy, with his family, arrived from Chicago on Aug. 21st. It had been expected that Mrs. Peterson would remain in Chicago during the winter, but she finally decided not to do so. They are in good health and Prof. Peterson feels gratified over the headway gained during his summer at school.

Prof. John Nash, another instructor at the academy, is expected to arrive from Australia on Monday, Sept. 2nd.

Great Results from Dairy Stock

Wm. Beebe, who won the first prize in the Fourth of July cream contest, proved to the committee that one of his cows produced 36 85 pounds of butter fat during the month of June.

Joseph H. Bingham was second on the list, with 32.13 pounds of butter fat from one cow.

The average price paid for butter fat by the Safford creamery is 28 cents per pound. At this figure the amount earned by the cow owned by Mr. Beebe was nearly eleven dollars during the month of June. Mr. Beebe states that the cow was browsed in a pasture containing some lucerne and some grass, and that he often threw in some alfalfa to help along the pasturage, but that she had no roots or grain whatever. He believes that with careful attention and some grain her output of milk could be largely increased.

The cow is a Holstein and is an unusually heavy milker. Mr. Beebe values her highly and has one heifer calf of the same strain which he considers an unusually promising animal.

As will be seen, ten cows like this one owned by Mr. Beebe would produce over one hundred dollars' worth of milk per month, or high wages for many a farmer. The cows are gentle and easily managed and in addition to the heavy income from milk there is the yearly increase of valuable calves.

The figures in this instance are worthy of careful consideration by the residents of this valley, as they indicate that there is a great return on the investment and labor of selling the milk from good milch cows, and the work is much less than in many other kinds of farming. An agriculturist with twelve good cows might clear a hundred dollars a month from the milk, with but little labor, and have an increase of ten or twelve valuable calves each year, worth anywhere from fifteen to thirty dollars each.

Heavy Deal in Dos Cabezos District

One of the largest mining deals that has been made in a number of years, is being consumated in the Dos Cabezos mining district, whereby the Mascot Copper Co. is securing an option on all of the larger group of claims in that district, already having secured some fifty odd claims and the amount involved reaching over $1,000,000

The company for the past sixty days has been busy at work securing options on claims and has paid several thousand dollars on the groups that it has taken options on.

The Mascot Copper Company is a corporation formed under the territorial laws and was incorporated last June. Its capitalization is placed at $10,000,000, divided into 1,000,000 shares at a par value of $10. The principal place of business is given as Dos Cabezos, but the company reserves the right to establish offices in Chicago, New York, and Salt Lake City. The officers of the company are W. H. Bramel, president; G. W. Parks, vice president; Edgar A. Rogers, secretary and treasurer. All of the officers are prominent capitalists of Salt Lake City, Utah That the company is well financed is evident from the amount of money that they have already paid down on the properties that they have taken hold of in the Dos Cabezos district.

The company has engineers making estimates of the ore in sight and perfecting plans for the erection of a smelter. They also propose to build a branch line of railroad from the Southern Pacific line near Willcox to the Dos Cabezos district.

Fine Team Goes From This Valley

On Monday last J. P. Nevins of Globe purchased from Casimiro Garcia of San Jose a splendid team, paying therefor $560. The animals were taken to Globe Tuesday.

REDDING DENIES ENTIRE STORY

Writes to The Guardian flom His Home in Indiana Denouncing Evil Reports

EDITOR GUARDIAN:—I am out of jail. The Journal has been publishing some stuff about me concerning my past life. It doesn't know anything about my future life and is unable to find out anything about it. If its editor could live such a life as I have and have the friends I have he would be a "Cracker Jack." I never ran away from Indiana. My reputation is as good here as it was in Arizona, and better. I left home at about 17 years of age without a blot on my character. If blotted, it was not here and not known here. I like a liar, but people that would publish such lies without foundation suit me too well. Please publish this for my friends. I am not in jail and wont be. There is no one able to pen me these days or I would have been insane to run my head into the halter after the years I roamed the plains from coast to coast and from the West Indies to the British possessions. I don't ride slanting on the hurricane deck of a Spanish pony any more. I am at home and have a nice one, much finer than the one I had in Arizona. John, I wish you were here to enjoy some of the fine fruit I have on my farm. We have more berries of all kinds than all the farms in the Gila valley.

Please publish this and send me your paper for a year. Send the copy with this letter in it. I was born in this county. Address, ISAIAH REDDING, R. D. No. 1, Box 10, Monticello, Indiana.

Prof. Rhoades and Party Return

Prof. W. R. Rhoades and party of six reached home last Friday in good health and spirits from their vacation visit in Kentucky. The party comprised Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Rhoades, Miss Maud Wellborn, Messrs. U. I. and S. J. Paxton and Roy Miller. The members are related to each other and they report a most enjoyable visit among their old friends and home scenes at Beaver Dam, Kentucky. They state that Kentucky looks fine, but they are still better satisfied with Arizona. The Messrs. Paxton were in San Francisco and Mr. Miller in Globe during the winter, but all are present or former residents of Safford. Mr. Rhoades will act as principal of the Layton schools during the coming winter.

Troubles of the Safford Journal

About the middle of last week, H. H. Heiner, the newspaper man who came from Los Angeles in March to enter the employ of the Safford Journal, resigned his position with that paper. On Saturday afternoon he had been drinking quite heavily and about five o'clock he went to the Journal office and administered a severe tongue lashing to Messrs. O'Bryan and Roberts. O'Bryan went to City Marshal Robertson and made complaint against Heiner on the charge of disturbing the peace. Heiner was arrested and held for a short time when he was released on the personal guarantee for his appearance of C. D. Reppy. On Monday O'Bryan announced that he would not prosecute the case providing Heiner preserved the peace in future.

However, other developments of a sensational nature ensued immediately. As soon as he was released, Heiner employed Attorney Wiley Jones to bring suit against the Journal for $298 back salary alleged to be due him from that paper. The complaint was filed before Judge Fonda, and a petition entered that the Journal management be restrained from disposing of their property pending the issuance of the case. As a result, Justice Fonda issued an order placing the Journal office and plant in charge of Constable Dave Ridgeway, who locked up the office. The doors remained closed until Monday at noon. The defendants employed Attorney W. K Dial to care for their interests in the matter, and during Monday morning a compromise was effected whereby the office was opened under the supervision of Constable Ridgeway and with the guarantee of the owners that nothing would be removed.

The parties to the suit are trying to effect a settlement whereby Heiner will be paid the money due him, or its equivalent, and the suit withdrawn. Otherwise of course the case will come to an early trial.

It is understood that Heiner has obtained a position with the Globe Belt and will move to that city during the present week to reside.

According to the records of Graham county, T. O'Bryan holds a mortgage on the Journal plant, but whether his mortgage covers all the paraphernalia will probably be necessarily decided by the suit, should the case come to an issue.

"EVERYBODY SHOULD KNOW"

says C G Hays, a prominent business man of Bluff, Mo., that Bucklen's Arnica Salve is the quickest and surest healing salve ever applied to a sore, burn or wound, or to a case of piles. I've used it and know what I'm talking about. Guaranteed by all druggists. 25 cents

This space Belongs to the St. Joseph Stake and L D S Academy

CONFERENCE NOTICE

The quarterly conference of St. Joseph stake will be held at Thatcher, Saturday and Sunday, August 31st and September 1st. The following choirs are appointed to take charge of the singing: Saturday morning, the Primary; Saturday afternoon, Thatcher; Sunday morning, Pima; Sunday afternoon, Layton.

Primary conventions will be held in Thatcher, August 29th and 30th. A full attendance of officers and workers is expected.

Priesthood meetings will be held at the noon hour on Saturday August 31st. All quorums should conduct their regular services. Primary associations of all the wards are requested to attend the Saturday meetings and be prepared to take part in the following song service:

A. M., 1st—I'll Serve the Lord While I Am Young.
2nd—High On the Mountain Top
3rd—Solo, Vina Kemp.
4th—Song by Thatcher Primary Association.
5th—Jesus, Lover of My Soul.

P. M, 1st—We Thank Thee, O God, For a Prophet.
2nd—Arizona, solo by Priscilla Layton; chorus by children.
3rd—Earth With Her Ten Thousand Flowers.
4th—Far Away.
5th—Doxology.

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Bishop the Land Man, ***Solomonville Arizona***

Local News

Forest Supervisor Hal Marshall leaves Washington this week on his way west, and is expected to arrive in Safford about Sept. 22.

Ice cold keg beer on tap at Tom Hooks' saloon. 11-tf

Supervisor T. T. Swift returned Monday from a tour of inspection of some of the camps on Mt. Graham National Forest.

Try an egg and beer at Tom Hooks' saloon. 11-tf

LOST—Post office box key and key ring check, bearing the name of T. C. Schaefer, Manchester, Wis. Finder return to mill at Safford and be rewarded. 1t

Finest cigars, tobaccos, and fresh candies at "The Palms."

Mr. Neese, the well known bee owner, reports a brisk demand for honey at 10 cents per pound. The yield of honey is light this season, however, owing to the late spring.

WANTED—A house. Apply at this office. *

Judge McCollum of Globe has sold his printing plant to D. W. Semple and Thomas A. Hickey, who will shortly start a paper, the Globe Miner. Judge McCollum will resume the practice of law.

Carload of stoves, all kinds, just received by Olney Hardware Co. 21-tf

Manager T. C. Schaefer of the Valley Milling Co. reports that the company is installing considerable new machinery purchased from the Buckeye mine, including two large boilers and an engine.

Ice cold milk shake and milk punch at Tom Hooks' saloon. 11-tf

John Evans of Duncan was in Safford this week visiting his relatives here. Mr. Evans owns a large farm in the Duncan district, and is also engaged in the real estate business. He is an enterprising gentleman and is achieving a gratifying success in the business line.

Carload of stoves, all kinds, just received by the Olney Hardware Company. 21-tf

T. D. Cross has purchased from W. R. Foote a house and lot south of the railway track in Safford. The house contains four rooms and the land comprises one and one sixth acres. Mr. Foote has purchased from Ernest Ellsworth forty acres of land in the south part of Safford.

Angelica, port and sherry wine at the Palace saloon. They will all cure that tired feeling. 23-tf

Tequila, the Mexican liver and kidney remedy, on sale at Palace saloon. 23-tf

Prof. Al Bergeron and his famous orchestra will give a public ball at Thatcher, Friday evening, August 30th, and at Safford, Saturday, August 31st. All up-to-date dance music will be played. Go and hear the great orchestra. Tickets are now on sale. Couples $1. Ladies free. This fine orchestra gave a brilliant dance at Pima last night. 1t

Wilbur Ijams has two mules that can beat the world at jumping. They can clear a six-foot fence like a hunter's horse. Wilbur says their agility is due to the fact that he gives them plenty of good whisky from the Palace saloon. 23-tf

WANTED—Furnished or unfurnished rooms. Apply at this office. 23-tf

Mr. R. C. Andrus of Montreal, a nephew of Councilman J.C. Robinson, reached Safford last Saturday and visited here with relatives several days this week. Mr. Andrus lived in Safford five years ago, and will be well remembered by old time residents as a genial and progressive young gentleman. He goes to Globe to accept an important position with the First National Bank.

What makes our driving horse sleek and fast. He takes plenty of sherry wine at the Palace saloon. Ijams & Branch. 23 tf

The morning service was inaugurated at the Baptist church in Safford last Sunday with a large audience present and much interest was manifested. Rev. C. Wardlaw spoke at the morning and evening sessions on the subject of Jesus and the blind men cured by him on his way to the cross. The sermons deducted the perseverance shown by the blind men and how they overcame the many obstacles thrown in their way. The music rendered by the choir was unusually good.

Go to "The Palms" Saturday and order your Sunday watermelon and it will be put ice free of charge. 21 tf

THATCHER

Mr. and Mrs. John Daley were visitors to Safford Monday.

President Andrew Kimball spent three days at the Mt. Graham mill last week.

If you want to reach the people, place your advertisement in THE GUARDIAN. That is the only way you can do so. If you advertise for charity, you may place your money where it is needed the most.

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Wheat	$1 80
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Two half-yearly subscriptions will count as one year. This offer is open to any one anywhere.

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Choice Candies, Nuts, and Ice Cold Drinks Ice Cream served on Sundays

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Good work, low prices. - - Pima, Arizona.

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On Sale Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.

To Los Angeles, Long Beach, Santa Monica, San Pedro, Catalina Island, Newport Beach, San Diego and Coronado, San Buena Ventura, Santa Barbara, San Francisco, with stop-overs within final limit, which is November 30th, 1907, at any point north or west of Colton, Cal. Rates from Safford are as follows:

To Los Angeles, Long Beach, San Pedro, Santa Monica	$37.85
To Santa Barbara, San Buena Ventura, San Diego, Coronado	42.10
To Avalon, (Catalina Island), Newport Beach	40.10
To San Francisco	52.70

For further information call on C. P. Pearson, Agent, Safford, or write M. O. Bicknell, General Passenger Agent, Tucson, Arizona.

THATCHER

Robert Hill of Clifton is visiting friends in Thatcher.

Prices cut all to pieces at J. L. Wilkin's store in Thatcher. 1t

Joseph Curtis came in from St. David Thursday.

Lem Pace brought in a few packages of mail from Bowie by team Wednesday.

George Thorpe has returned from Globe, where he was taken ill with typhoid fever.

The primary associations of Thatcher tendered a banquet to the stake officers last evening.

There were forty-five pupils in attendance at the academy yesterday.

Misses Howarth and Peart have arrived from Salt Lake to attend the primary conference. They came from Bowie by team with L. R. Pace.

Thomas Moody, who has been in Clifton for some time past, is visiting with his family in Thatcher. He leaves in the near future for an extended trip through California and Utah.

Apostle David McKay is expected to reach Thatcher this week to attend conference next Sunday. There is general hope expressed that the railroad washout will be repaired in order that he may not be delayed.

Elders William Carpenter and Jasper Curtis will leave Monday for the southern states mission field, where they will remain two years. They are energetic young men and are sure to do good work.

Miss Margery Damron, a highly esteemed young lady of Thatcher, died Wednesday after a brief illness with typhoid fever. The deceased was aged fourteen, and was the step-daughter of John Damron. The funeral was held Thursday.

Prof. Jones and wife reached Thatcher from Ogden, Utah, Monday. Mr. Jones will teach vocal and instrumental music at the Academy during the coming winter. He has had long experience in the musical line, having been teaching for some years, and will be a valuable acquisition to musical circles.

Miss Nellie Damron of Thatcher and Mr. Harry White of Clifton were married Sunday by Patriarch Samuel Claridge. The groom is an enterprising and esteemed young gentleman and the bride is a popular young lady of this city. The couple left for Clifton Wednesday, where they will make their home, and the best wishes of a large circle of friends accompany them.

PIMA

No public gatherings have been held in Pima for some tims past for the children on account of the measles. The disease has almost disappeared now, however, and it is probable that Sunday school work can soon be resumed.

A tree within twenty feet of the home of J. S. McFate in Pima was struck by lightning Saturday night and almost entirely destroyed. The family were somewhat alarmed by the narrowness of their escape, as it is a wonder the house was not also included in the thunder's attack.

The sound of the engine's whistle is the sweetest music we hear these days.

There is Nothing Like Looking Out for Yourself

School Time is Here. Remember, we can fit the Boys Out from Head to Foot

Boys' Hats from 35c Up. Boys' Suits from $1.25 up. Boys' Shoes, 75c up

Boys Stockings, good quality, 10c per pair. Good outing flannels, 10c per yard.

Remember, we sell you everything at Eastern Prices. Come and see!

THE EL PASO STORE

The Store that is Recognized as Safford's Bargain Headquarters.

Morris Simon Prop. ***ORIGINATOR OF LOW PRICES***

Heavy Storms the Past Few Days

Storms of an unusually heavy character have visited this valley during the past week or two. On Monday evening last the sky clouded up as black as a cave at midnight and about 10 o'clock in the evening the downpour began. The rain was accompanied by thunder long and tumultuous, and Safford came in for a goodly share of the attack by the artillery of the heavens. Many of the thunder strokes were so close to town that it was feared by many citizens, who were kept awake a portion of the night by the noise, that some buildings must surely have been struck. However, no damage has been reported and the presumption is that the cannonading was all confined to the sky.

A feature of the storm Monday evening was the peculiar yellowness of the sunset. The sun's beams struck on a heavy bank of clouds over the Gila valley and gave off a yellow tinge of an unusually heavy character, giving the entire valley a saffron hue.

The storms found many campers in the mountains and in some instances they were nearly washed away by the flood. Many of them hastened home, but others stayed at their camps, determined to await the coming of fine weather.

Don't fail to attend the J. L. Wilkin's great sale at Thatcher. Read his price slashing announcement in this issue. 1t

Realty Deals at Solomonville

Real Estate Agent H. W. Bishop of Solomonville reports a very lively period in realty circles, and brisk demand for all kinds of property.

He has recently sold a 20 acre tract and house east of Solomonville, owned by John Cline, to Frank Richardson for $1800.

He has also sold 52 acres west of Solomonville, owned by I. E. Solomon, to J. H. Hatch of Layton for $5200.

He has also sold the Solomonville-Coronado stage line, owned by George B. Gamble, to Ben R Clark, for $8,000. Will Clark has been appointed manager and is now in charge of the line.

AN ASH GROVE

Is something unusual on a Gila Valley ranch. Along with this grove is one of the best built farm residences in the valley—7 rooms, hall, porches, fire places, nicely finished interior, cosy comfortable. With this home like place there is 40 acres of land, 30 acres tn alfalfa. Nice young orchard as well as an old one. Good well water; brick milk house; granary; outbuildings. Location on main county road to Safford, two and a half miles west of counry seat. Well watered with 4 shares Montezuma canal water.

Terms, $6.500, $1,500 cash, balance long time at 8 per ct.

SEE BISHOP THE LAND MAN, SOLOMONVILLE

Card of Thanks

We desire to express through the columns of THE GUARDIAN our sincere and heartfelt thanks to the many kind friends who so generously and patiently assisted us by cheering aid and words during the illness and after the death of our late beloved wife, daughter and sister, Ora Pepper. We feel that any words of ours can but slightly express our gratitude, and we pray that the blessings of heaven may attend them and raise up for them such kind friends, should they ever be in need.

We also wish to earnestly thank Bishop J. R. Welker, the Layton choir and all the members of the church who assisted so nobly at the funeral service.

JOHN L. PEPPER,
MRS. MATTIE BOGGS
AND FAMILY.

Mr. J. L. Wilkins, the enterprising Thatcher merchant, reports that his great cut-rate sale of merchandise is meeting with universal favor. He has been crowded with customers during the past week, and all have been well satisfied with the low prices he is giving them. He expects to close out his entire stock at once.

Wiley E. Jones and Clyde Ijams left Wednesday for Roswell to attend the military college.

Mr. Gamble has not as yet decided what business he will embark in, but his many friends hereabouts will wish him success in whatever he may undertake.

Mr. Bishop reports the sale of a share of San Jose water stock Monday at the high water mark of $540. The face value of the stock is only $100, and it is very hard to obtain even at the heavy advance named.

Mail Fails for Lack of Carrier

On Monday evening no mail arrived on the regular train from Bowie and it was announced that the reason was because there was no mail carrier aboard the train. This seems to be a most lame and unusual reason for the failure to supply a number of large communities with their daily supply of mail. It would seem to be perfectly proper to suggest to Uncle Sam or whoever is to blame that there are mail carriers in abundance to be had and that when several towns pay their just proportion of the postal revenues, as is done by Solomonville, Safford, Thatcher and Pima, as well as Globe, it is the duty of the authorities to see that the service does not fail for such trivial reasons as the one mentioned. This valley is as much entitled to attention as any other group of towns in the country. If the service fails for any such reason again, it is probable that a strong protest will be filed with the postal department at Washington.

Coming From the Mountains

The large number in the canyons of Mt Graham, and who are now returning greatly improved, proves that the mountain is becoming a very popular summer resort.

Last week there were fully 100 people at Camp Inception. Besides this there were scores of people at other camps. Among those who have returned from Camp Inception is the family of Ranger Geo. H Birdno, also the family of W. N. Beebe. About six weeks ago Mrs. Beebe went to Camp Inception with her baby, at that time a poor little skeleton, whose death was daily expected. Since being taken to the mountains it has not been given any medicine, and is now a rosy, bobust child, healthy and vigorous.

By the last of next week all the campers, except those who have business in the mountains, will have returned home.

20 Per Cent Discount Sale 20

BEGINNING

Sat. Aug. 24th AND ENDING **Sat. Aug. 31st**

Seven Days Only

We need more room for our fall and winter line of goods which will soon be here, hence this BIG SACRIFICE SALE don't wait until the last day to take advantage of this sale, as what you want may be gone by that time, so come early and get first choice.

REMEMBER **Seven Days Only**

Remember, everything in summer weight goods included in this sale.

$5.00 Ladies' silk waists $4.00
$4.50 Ladies' silk waists $3.60

$4.50 Ladies' and Misses skirts $3.60
3.50 Ladies' and Misses skirts 2.80
1.50 Ladies' and Misses skirts 1.20

75c Ladies' extra large jersey ribbed vests .. 60c
50c Ladies' jersey ribbed vests 40c
40c Ladies' jersey vests .30c
25c Ladies' jersey vests 20c
15c and 20c Ladies' jersey ribbed vests 2 for 25c
40c Ladies' jersey ribbed drawers 30c

Large assortments of ladies' and misses straw hats all styles ..... 20 % discount

$2.50 Gentlemens' celebrated Imperial and El Dorado brands of soft negligee shirts, collar attached $2.00
$2.00 Celebrated New Era soft negligee shirts, no collar... $1.60
$1.50 Mens' New Era shirts $1.20
$1.25 Mens' New Era shirts $1.00

$21.50 Men's famous Sterling brand of ready made two and three piece suits $17.20
17.50 Men's suits 13.65
12.50 Men's two piece suits 10.00

20 per cent discount on light weight UNDERWEAR --20

20 per cent discount on all straw and Panama hats

Solomon Commercial Co.

SOLE AGENTS. *SOLOMONVILLE, ARIZONA.*

6 A Carload Of Buggies

AND A CARLOAD OF WAGONS . .

Just Received. The Racine Buggies and the Old Reliable Schettler Wagons. We sold three of the buggies on the day they arrived.

Wheat is still $1.50 and barley $1.40, cash on delivery. Always cash to pay for hay, at highest market price.

We sell goods at the lowest possible prices commensurate with good value. No flare-up sales to deceive the people here. You are sure of your money's worth at the old reliable Big 6.

Thatcher I. & M. Company

..NEW FALL GOODS..

When you are ready to look over a stock of fall and winter goods when good values and stylish merchandise prevail you will find all at the CYCLONE.

Every train brings us fall goods and we have what you want when you want it and at prices you can afford.

It will pay you to look through every department

We are still in the hay and grain business and you can depend that no combination can get your stuff for less than its value.

THE CYCLONE J. M. FOSTER, PROPRIETOR

BARLEY $1.40

We are in the market for all the barley that can be had at $1.40; buy small lots as well as large ones. Same price to all. Just received a new line of dress goods. Also have a new line of fine Saddles. Big supply of Work and Buggy Harness

Both double and single, just received.

WEBSTER & HOOPES
THATCHER, ARIZONA.

Local News

Mrs. Wm. Kirtland and her nieces, Misses Fannie and Martha Gray, reached Safford yesterday from Los Angeles, and the latter will take up their residence here. Mrs. Kirtland reached Bowie Wednesday, and was fortunate in having an opportunity of coming on to Safford that evening, arriving here at 1 a. m.

The exodus of school girls now begins from this valley. Miss Chloe Welker has already gone to Provo, and Miss Della Owens leaves shortly for that point. Miss Lottie Colton leaves next week for Chicago, and Miss Beulah Olney goes to Staunton, West Virginia, to attend college. Miss Edith Jennings goes to the Catholic seminary at Silver City, N. M., and Miss Jessie Wardlaw to a young ladies college in South Carolina. The Misses Laveda and Laura Waddill go to the normal at Tempe. Miss Jennie Freestone leaves shortly for Provo to attend school, and Miss Lillie Jacobson returns to Los Angeles for the winter.

Mr. Golding, the well known Graham farmer, drove in from over the river Monday and reports the Gila unusually deep and swift. He came nearly being washed away with a large team and a heavy wagon. When last seen in Safford he was wandering around ruminating whether to essay another dip in the treacherous stream or wait for low water. However, as nothing further has been seen of him and no casualties have been reported from Graham town, the deduction reached by his friends on this side is that he made the ford safely and is again comfortably ensconsed on his fine farm husbanding his resources there and piling up a fortune in hay and grain, as usual.